**Learning Experiences and Assignments:**

**Welcome Packet:** Students will create a packet of resources and useful information to give to parents the first day of school. The information should encourage and welcome parent involvement in the classroom, inform parents of classroom procedures, and initiate an ongoing parent-teacher relationship. Develop the packet for the age group you intend to teach after graduating. (20 points) DUE: T 11/8 and W 11/9

**Open House Plan:** Open house is an opportunity for teachers to create a working relationship with families. Create activities for an open house that will include all family members interacting with the teacher and classroom. (15 points) DUE: R 10/20

**Parent Information Files:** Teachers are a source of knowledge for families. Research common family concerns and create files for future classroom reference. (25 points) DUE: T 11/15 and W 11/16

**Community Agency Research:** The student will locate and research a community agency which serves children and families. A flyer and information packet about the agency will be created by the student to demonstrate understanding of the organizations purpose and service to the community. (30 points)

**OR**

**Ideal Service Creation:** Students will develop a hypothetical community service that meets a need of children and families within their community. The student acts as developer of the agency and creates a two-page proposal as if presenting the idea to legislators. (30 points) DUE: T 11/29 and W 11/30

**Class Attendance and Participation:** Regular class attendance and participation. (10 points) ONGOING